COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT OF)
BRONSTON WATER ASSOCIATION) CASE NO. 5522-2

ORDER

On April 29, 1983, Bronston Water Association, Inc., ("Bronston") filed its application with the Public Service Commission ("Commission") for authority to adjust its rates in accordance with 807 KAR 5:067, Purchased Water Adjustment Clause. On May 12, 1983, the Commission ordered that additional information be filed. The required information was filed on May 17, 1982, and the record is now complete.

The Commission, having reviewed the evidence of record and being advised, is of the opinion and finds that:

- (1) Bronston's supplier, Monticello Utility Commission, increased the wholesale cost of water from \$1.00 to \$1.10 per 1,000 gallons, effective January 1, 1983.
- (2) The statements of water purchased and sold filed by Bronston for the 12-month period ending December 31, 1982, show that its line loss is approximately 9 percent which is less than the maximum of 15 percent allowed by the Commission.
- (3) The calculations made by Bronston are correct and show that the total allowable increase in purchased water

costs is \$3,714, resulting in a purchased water adjustment of \$.11 per 1,000 gallons.

- (4) The financial exhibits filed by Bronston indicate that it cannot absorb an increase of this magnitude in the wholesale cost of water.
- (5) The purchased water adjustment in the amount of \$.11 per 1,000 gallons and the rates in Appendix A are fair, just and reasonable and should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the purchased water adjustment in the amount of \$.11 per 1,000 gallons and the rates in Appendix A be and they hereby are approved for service rendered on and after the date of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that for the purpose of future application of the purchased water adjustment clause of Bronston, the base rate for purchased water shall be:

Supplier Rate

Monticello Utility Commission \$1.10 per 1,000 gallons

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that within 30 days of the date of this Order, Bronston shall file with the Commission its revised tariff sheets setting out the rates approved herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 13th day of June, 1983.

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	PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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ATTEST:	Kathenine Randall Vice Chairman
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Secretary	Commissioner
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APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 5522-2 DATED JUNE 13, 1983

The following rates are prescribed for customers of Bronston Water Association. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the date of this Order.

3/4" to 5/8" Meter

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Gallonage Block	Rate
First 1,500 gallons	\$ 6.71 Minimum Bill
Next 3,500 gallons	2.72 per 1,000 gallons
Next 5,000 gallons	1.97 per 1,000 gallons
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Over 15,000 gallons	1.17 per 1,000 gallons
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<u>l" Meter</u>	
First 5,000 gallons	\$16.23 Minimum Bill
Next 5,000 gallons	1.97 per 1,000 gallons
Next 5,000 gallons	1.47 per 1,000 gallons
Over 15,000 gallons	1.17 per 1,000 gallons
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<u>1 1/2" Meter</u>	
First 10,000 gallons	\$26.08 Minimum Bill
Next 5,000 gallons	1.47 per 1,000 gallons
Over 15,000 gallons	1.17 per 1,000 gallons
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2" Meter	
First 20,000 gallons	\$39.28 Minimum Bill
Over 20,000 gallons	1.17 per 1,000 gallons
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Special Contract: Woodson Bend, Inc.	
First 600,000 gallons	\$1,482.00 Minimum Bill
Over 600,000 gallons	1.17 per 1,000 gallons
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